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RE: *U.S. Patent Application No. 10/632,539 entitled "COMPARATIVE ANALYSIS OF NUCLEIC ACIDS USING POPULATION TAGGING" – Matthew M. Winkler and David Brown*  
*Our reference: AMBI:063US*

Sir:

Please find enclosed:

- (1) A Response to Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b) mailed November 14, 2003;
- (2) Declaration;
- (3) Power of Attorney;
- (4) Copy of Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.53(b)-Filing Date Granted;
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**PATENT**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Matthew M. Winkler

David Brown

Serial No.: 10/632,539

Filed: July 31, 2003

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C.F.R. § 1.53(b), dated November 14, 2003, enclosed are:

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- (b) A Power of Attorney on behalf of Ambion, Inc.;

- (c) Our check in the amount of \$898.00 to cover the basic filing fee (\$385.00 - utility small entity); surcharge for late filing (\$65.00); additional claims fee (\$448.00); and
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